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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
10 **SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**
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12 Ronnie Dale DEMENT,

13 Petitioner,

14 v.

15 Kevin CHAPPELL, Acting Warden
16 of San Quentin State Prison,

17 Respondent.

Case Number 3-12-cv-4750-JSW

DEATH-PENALTY CASE

ORDER TRANSFERRING CAPITAL
HABEAS ACTION TO THE
DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF
CALIFORNIA AND INSTRUCTIONS
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18 Petitioner was convicted and sentenced to death in Fresno Superior Court. *People v.*
19 *Dement*, 264 P.3d 292 (Cal. 2011). This capital habeas action therefore should be heard in the
20 Eastern District of California. N.D. Cal. Habeas L.R. 2254-22(a); E.D. Cal. L.R. 191(f).
21 Accordingly, this action is hereby transferred to the District Court for the Eastern District of
22 California. "The Clerk immediately shall advise the Clerk of Court" of the Eastern District.
23 N.D. Cal. Habeas L.R. 2254-22(c).
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25 *It is so ordered.*

26 DATED: September 13, 2012

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JEFFREYS WHITE
United States District Judge
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